

3-15-2023 Daily Announcements

Today's Book-A-Day Giveaway winner is **Gerald Castro** who is being recognized by **Mrs. Perret** for the IB Learner Profile Trait(s), **Caring**. Congratulations, please report to the Media Center after Morning Announcements to choose your free book.

Attention 8th grade students attending Gradventure the final payment is due today. Please check your Focus messages from Mrs. Ogilvie.

There will be NO afterschool activities tomorrow after school. Again, after school activities for tomorrow have been canceled.

Test Taking Strategy of the week: **Vocabulary Questions-** For vocabulary questions, when you have to **choose the correct meaning of a word**, it is helpful to do the following: Read the sentence that the word is in, Read the sentence right **before** the word, Read the sentence right **after** the word, This area of the passage surrounding the word is called the **context**. **Context clues** are the words, phrases, and sentences that surround the **word** you **do not know**. Many sentences and paragraphs contain enough information for you to use the clues that **the writer has left to figure out the meanings of many words you do not know**.